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GEORGE HEDLEY VICARS BULYEA.

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CANADA
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

TO OUR FAITHFUL THE MEMBERS elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Alberta and to every of you, Greeting:—

PROCLAMATION.

C. R. MITCHELL,
Attorney General. } **W**HEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Alberta, **WE DO WILL** that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on **THURSDAY**, the **TENTH DAY** of the **MONTH OF NOVEMBER NOW NEXT**, at Our City of Edmonton, personally be and appear for the **DESPATCH OF BUSINESS**, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of Alberta by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favour of God, be ordained.

Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our Province of Alberta to be hereunto affixed. **WITNESS: GEORGE HEDLEY VICARS BULYEA**, **LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ALBERTA**, at Our Government House, in Our City of Edmonton, in Our said Province, this **TWENTIETH DAY OF OCTOBER**, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten, and in the First year of Our Reign.

By Command,

M. J. MACLEOD,

Clerk of the Executive Council,
Alberta.

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SECOND SESSION—SECOND LEGISLATURE

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

This being the first day of the Second Session of the Second Legislature of the Province of Alberta for the dispatch of business pursuant to a Proclamation of His Honour George Hedley Vicars Bulyea, Lieutenant Governor, and the House having met, His Honour entered the House and having taken his seat on the Throne was pleased to open the Session by the following gracious speech:

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

By the gracious favour of His Majesty King George, by and with the advice of the Governor General of Canada in Council, I again have the honour to invite you to give me your best assistance in the work of legislation in this the Second Session of the Second Legislature of the Province of Alberta.

Since the prorogation of the First Session of your Assembly the whole world has beheld with sympathy, and the members of the body politic of the British Empire with profound feeling, the spectacle of universal mourning presented by the funeral of our late beloved Monarch, King Edward. For his successor, King George, we in common with all his subjects pray that he may enjoy a long and happy reign.

In a province dependant for its prosperity to so great an extent on agricultural operations, a subject of outstanding importance is the result of the year's harvest. Now that a fairly comprehensive view can be taken of the results, I can say with confidence that, though there has been some suffering as a consequence of the extraordinarily dry weather which prevailed for a time, yet the effect of this was considerably exaggerated and the result has been to show that wherever proper farming methods have been employed they have received their reward in every part of the province. The

premiums that have been awarded to the exhibits of the Department of Agriculture at various Congresses both in the United States and in Canada, besides those taken by private exhibitors of Agricultural Products and Live Stock, have been very gratifying to me in common with you all, and have done much to assist the efforts which are now being made systematically by my Government to direct into the Province a tide of immigrants of the most approved character. Marked success has attended their efforts.

On receiving with profound regret the resignation of the first Executive Council of this Province I summoned the Hon. Arthur Lewis Sifton to assume the Premiership. On accepting he was sworn as President of Council, Minister of Public Works and Provincial Treasurer, and completed my Government by the selection of the Hon. Charles R. Mitchell as Attorney General and Minister of Education, the Hon. Archibald McLean as Provincial Secretary and the Hon. Duncan Marshall, a Member of the late administration, as Minister of Agriculture. The task of directing the executive of my government and preparing the necessary measures of legislation has been committed to these gentlemen. To the important Bills to be presented by them dealing with administrative, educational and other questions, as well as to the large number of private Bills which will be presented to you, I would ask your closest attention.

I have the honour to inform you that there has been presented to me a Report of the Royal Commission appointed in accordance with the terms of a Resolution of your House to inquire whether any and, if any, which officers or officer of the Government, or Member or Members of the Legislature, were or are interested in connection with the creation of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, and the guaranteeing of its Bonds. This Report will be laid on the table for your information and consideration.

The Public Accounts and the Estimates will be laid before you at an early date.

I am sure that under the direction of Almighty God your deliberations on these and other matters will be for the welfare of the Province, directed, as they must be, by the sense of your supreme responsibility.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the House.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that in order to prevent mistakes he had obtained a copy of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, which was laid on the table.

Honourable A. L. Sifton, Member for the Electoral District of Vermilion, having previously taken the Oath and subscribed to the Roll, was introduced to the Speaker by Honourable Mr. Marshall and Mr. Woolf, and took his seat.

Honourable C. R. Mitchell, Member for the Electoral District of Medicine Hat, having previously taken the Oath and subscribed

to the Roll, was introduced to the Speaker by Honourable Mr. Marshall and Mr. Woolf, and took his seat.

Honourable A. J. McLean, Member for the Electoral District of Lethbridge District, having previously taken the Oath and subscribed to the Roll, was introduced to the Speaker by Honourable Mr. Marshall and Mr. Woolf, and took his seat.

Mr. A. J. McArthur, Member for the Electoral District of Gleichen, having previously taken the Oath and subscribed to the Roll, was introduced to the Speaker by Honourable Mr. Marshall and Mr. Woolf, and took his seat.

Mr. Robert Patterson, Member for the Electoral District of Macleod, having previously taken the Oath and subscribed to the Roll, was introduced to the Speaker by Mr. E. Michener and Mr. Hoadley.

Mr. Speaker announced that he had received notifications of vacancies which had occurred since the last session of the House and warrants had been issued for new writs to serve on the present Legislature for the following Electoral Divisions:

Vermilion.

Medicine Hat.

Lethbridge District.

Gleichen.

Macleod.

The Speaker announced that he had been informed by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly that he had received the Certificates of Election of the Honourable A. L. Sifton for Vermilion, the Honourable C. R. Mitchell for Medicine Hat; the Honourable A. J. McLean for Lethbridge District; Mr. A. J. McArthur for Gleichen; and Mr. Robert Patterson for Macleod.

TO THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE
OF ALBERTA:

Owing to the resignation of A. Campbell as a Member of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta for the Electoral Division of Vermilion and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the 6th day of June last and addressed to A. W. Ebbett, Esq., of Mannville, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Vermilion, Hon. Arthur Lewis Sifton has been returned as duly elected accordingly, as appears by the return of said Writ of Election which is now lodged of record in my office.

(Sgd.) M. J. MACLEOD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

TO THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE
OF ALBERTA:

Owing to the resignation of Hon. W. T. Finlay, as a Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, for the Electoral Division of Medicine Hat, and in virtue of a Writ of

Election, dated June 6th last, addressed to F. G. Foster, Esq., of Medicine Hat, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Medicine Hat, Hon. C. R. Mitchell has been returned as duly elected accordingly, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, which is now lodged of record in my office.

(Sgd.) M. J. MACLEOD,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

TO THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE
OF ALBERTA:

Owing to the elevation of A. J. McLean to be a Member of the Executive Council and owing to his resignation as a member of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, for the Electoral Division of Lethbridge District, and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated June 6th last, addressed to H. L. Myers, Esq., of Taber, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Lethbridge District, Hon. A. J. McLean has been returned as duly elected accordingly, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, which is now lodged of record in my office.

(Sgd.) M. J. MACLEOD,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

TO THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE
OF ALBERTA:

Owing to the resignation of E. H. Riley as a Member of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, for the Electoral Division of Gleichen, and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated September 10th last, addressed to W. W. Brown, Esq., of Calgary, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Gleichen, A. J. McArthur has been returned as duly elected accordingly, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election which is now lodged in my office.

(Sgd.) M. J. MACLEOD,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

TO THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE
OF ALBERTA:

Owing to the death of Colin Genge, a Member of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, for the Electoral Division of Macleod, and in virtue of a Writ of Election dated September 10th last, addressed to Joseph Stenson, Esq., of Macleod, as Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of Macleod, Robert Patterson has been returned as duly elected accordingly, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election which is now lodged of record in my office.

(Sgd.) M. J. MACLEOD,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ordered, that Honourable Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office.

The Bill was read a First time, and

Ordered, to be read a Second time on November 17th.

On the motion of Honourable Mr. Sifton seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell,

Ordered, That the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor be taken into consideration on Monday next.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell,

Ordered, That the Votes and Proceedings of this House be printed having been first perused by Mr. Speaker, and that he do appoint the printing thereof, and that no person but such as he shall appoint do presume to print the same.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell,

Ordered, That the Select Standing Committees of this House or the present Session be appointed for the following purposes:

1. On Privileges and Elections.
2. On Railways.
3. On Miscellaneous Private Bills.
4. On Standing Orders.
5. On Public Accounts.
6. On Printing.
7. On Municipal Law.
8. On Legal Bills.
9. On Agriculture and Colonization.

Which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the House and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, with power to send for persons and records.

On the motion of Honourable Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell,

Ordered, That a Special Committee of eight Members be appointed to prepare and report with all convenient speed lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committee ordered by this House, and that the said Committee be composed as follows:

Messrs. Sifton, Mitchell, Marshall, Woolf, Simpson, Stewart, Michener and Hoadley.

Honourable Mr. McLean, Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the House the Report of the Royal Commission appointed by the House to investigate matters concerning the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway. *(Sessional Paper No. 1.)*

On the motion of Hon. Mr. McLean, seconded by Hon. Mr. Marshall,

Ordered, That the Report of the Royal Commission be printed.

The House adjourned at 4 o'clock until Monday next at 3 o'clock.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Buchanan: Of W. S. Galbraith, Thomas S. Mackenzie, Charles G. K. Nourse, Oliver D. Austin and Edwin M. Thomasson, asking for the incorporation of the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association.

By Mr. Buchanan: Of the Village of Stafford, seeking the power to borrow the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a certain waterworks system in the said Village, and to construct said waterworks system.

Mr. Woolf: From the Select Committee, appointed to prepare and report lists of the members to compose the Standing Committees of the House, reported as follows:

PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, Messrs. Woolf, Boyle, Bennett, Cross, McKenzie, Michener.

RAILWAYS.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, Hon. D. Marshall, Hon. A. J. McLean, Messrs. Warnock, Bennett, Cote, Cornwall, Holden, Hoadley, McKenzie, Puffer, Simpson, Michener, Woolf, Walker, Telford, Shaw, Boudreau.

MISCELLANEOUS AND PRIVATE BILLS.—Hon. C. R. Mitchell, Hon. A. J. McLean, Messrs. McDougall, Cross, Michener, O'Brien, Campbell, Rutherford, Roberts, Patterson, Smith, Walker.

STANDING ORDERS.—Hon. A. J. McLean, Messrs. Puffer, Buchanan, Boudreau, Cushing, Glendenning, Holden, Hoadley, McArthur, Patterson, Moore.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, Hon. D. Marshall, Messrs. Stewart, Bennett, Smith, Rutherford, Cross, Michener, Simpson, Woolf, McArthur, Warnock.

PRINTING.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, Messrs. Buchanan, Campbell, Cote, Gunn, Lessard, Moore, Olin, Stauffer, Shaw, Michener.

MUNICIPAL LAW.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, Messrs. Smith, Cross, Rutherford, Boyle, Bennett, McKenzie, Roberts, Buchanan, Michener, Olin, Cushing, Hoadley, Stewart, McDougall.

LEGAL BILLS.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, Messrs. McKenzie, Rutherford, Cross, Boyle, Bennett, Roberts, Lessard, Hoadley.

AGRICULTURE AND COLONIZATION.—Hon. D. Marshall, Hon. A. J. McLean, Messrs. Simpson, Stewart, Walker, Warnock, Woolf, Shaw, Hoadley, McPherson, Stauffer, Telford, Puffer, Glendenning, McArthur, Patterson, Holden, Cornwall, McKenney, Campbell, Gunn.

Resolved, That the House receive and concur in said Report.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill respecting charges upon land contained in certain instruments.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

Moved by Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. McArthur,
That an humble address be presented to His Honour the
Lieutenant Governor of Alberta, as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR GEORGE HEDLEY VICARS BULYEA,
Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta.

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech which Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a debate arising thereon,
On motion of Mr. O'Brien,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House adjourned to 6.00 o'clock to Tuesday at 3 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Cornwall: Of Frank H. Phippen, Gerard G. Ruel, George F. Macdonnell and others, all of the City of Toronto in the Province of Ontario, asking for incorporation of the Canadian Northern Western Railway.

By Mr. Buchanan: Of the City of Lethbridge, asking to provide for the Registration of a certain Transfer from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge of the land known as "Galt Park."

By Hon. Mr. Mitchell: Of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Medicine Hat asking for the amending and consolidating of the Medicine Hat Charter.

By Mr. Buchanan: Of William John Walker, Johnston Carscadden and George Asahel Carrier, asking for the incorporation of the Great North Insurance Company.

By Mr. Cushing: Of Emily Kirby, Kate Underwood, Elizabeth Cushing and others, asking for the incorporation of the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association.

By Mr. Cross: Of the City Hospital, asking that the name of the Corporation be changed to the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Raising of Loans authorized by the Legislature.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill to prevent Priority among Execution Creditors.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Witnesses and Evidence.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the University of Alberta.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the further consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to the House,

The debate continued,

And the motion being again proposed,

It was agreed to unanimously.

Ordered, That the address be engrossed and presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of this House as are Members of the Executive Council.

The House adjourned at 4.30 o'clock to Wednesday at 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Warnock: Respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway.

By Mr. Buchanan: Respecting the Lethbridge Charter.

By Mr. Boudreau: Respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway.

For an Act respecting the Village of Stafford.

For an Act respecting the Lethbridge Y.M.C.A.

For an Act respecting the Calgary Y.W.C.A.

Mr. Puffer from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition from the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association for an Act of the Assembly to incorporate the said Y.M.C.A.

2. That with respect to the petition from the Village of Stafford for an Act giving the Village of Stafford power to borrow the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a certain waterworks system in the said village, and to construct the said waterworks system.

The Committee find that with respect to the two above named Bills the Rules of the House with regard to the payment of fees have been fully complied with, but that the Rules of the House with regard to advertising have not been fully complied with, but upon consideration the Committee found it expedient that the said Rules be suspended, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 29, an Act respecting Charges upon Land contained in Certain Instruments,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Thursday, November 17th.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table the Public Accounts of the Province for the five months ending May 31, 1910.

(Sessional Paper No. 2.)

Ordered, That Mr. Buchanan have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Lethbridge Y.M.C.A.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Buchanan have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Village of Stafford.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Thursday, November 24th.

The House adjourned at 3.30 o'clock to Thursday at 3 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1910.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Boyle: Of Ellen Hunt, J. Lora Bellamy, Mary Whitelaw and others respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton.

By Mr. Boyle: Of John B. Watson, J. B. Sutherland, Arthur H. Edwards and others respecting the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Alberta.

By Mr. Patterson: Of the Town of Macleod respecting the raising of the sum of \$35,000.00 by the Town of Macleod.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Medicine Hat Charter.

For an Act respecting the Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge known as "Galt Park."

For an Act respecting the Great North Insurance Company.

For an Act respecting the Lethbridge Charter.

For an Act respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway.

Mr. Puffer from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition of Frank H. Phippen, Gerard G. Ruel, George F. Macdonnell and others for an Act respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway.

2. That with respect to the petition of Emily Kirby, Kate Underwood, Elizabeth Cushing and others for an Act respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Calgary.

The Committee find that with respect to the two above named Bills the Rules of the House with regard to the payment of fees have been fully complied with and in the case of the first mentioned Bill the Rules in regard to advertising have been complied with, but in the second case the Rules with regard to advertising have not been fully complied with; but upon consideration the Committee find it expedient that the said Rules be suspended, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions, of which he had given notice, and to which Hon. Mr. Sifton replied as follows:

1. Q.—Has the province been called upon to pay any sums by reason of its Guarantee of the Bonds of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company?

A.—Yes.

2. Q.—If so, what sum, and when?

A.—\$185,525.40; July 12th, 1910.

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions, of which he had given notice, and to which Hon. Mr. Mitchell replied as follows:

1. Q.—Has A. F. Maley of Bassano been appointed a Notary Public?

A.—Yes.

2. Q.—If so, when?

A.—By Order in Council dated September 10th, 1910.

3. Q.—Was he a Notary Public at any time since the organization of the Provincial Government?

A.—Not to my knowledge before this appointment.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,
Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a return showing:

1. The total area of School Lands sold in Alberta up to the 1st of July, 1910.
2. The average purchase price per acre realized.
3. The amount of Revenue received by the province from School Lands Fund in each of the years 1905 to 1910 inclusive.
4. The cost of administration in each of the years 1905 to 1909 inclusive.

Upon the motion standing in the name of Mr. O'Brien being called,

Ordered, That by consent of the House Mr. O'Brien be permitted to withdraw his motion, of which due notice had been given, and that he be allowed to substitute a new motion.

Ordered, That the said substituted motion be placed on the Order Paper for to-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. Cornwall have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway (No. 9).

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cushing have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Calgary (No. 42).

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. O'Brien have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Fortnightly Payment of Wages.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill for an Act to Amend the School Ordinance, the School Assessment Ordinance and the School Grants Ordinance.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 29 respecting Charges upon Land contained in Certain Instruments, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday next.

The House adjourned at 4 o'clock to Friday at 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The Speaker laid on the table the Report of the Provincial Librarian to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly for the year ending December 31, 1909. (*Sessional Paper No. 3*).

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Boyle: Of John W. Glenwright, Wm. Egbert, William A. Lowery and others respecting the North Western Life Insurance Company.

By Mr. Michener: Of T. H. Blow, William Davidson, W. J. Tregillus and others respecting the University of Calgary.

By Mr. Michener: Of G. W. Kirby, T. C. Buchanan, Charles J. Adams and others respecting the Incorporation of Calgary College.

By Mr. Cross: Of the City of Edmonton respecting an Act to Amend the Edmonton Charter.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton.

For an Act respecting the Chartered Accountants' Association of Alberta.

For an Act respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 10, an Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 11, an Act to prevent Priority Among Execution Creditors,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Mr. O'Brien moved the following motion, of which he had given notice, seconded by Mr. Walker:

Whereas it has come to the attention of the Members of the Legislature that an application is being made for the extradition of Sovvo Fedorenko, now a resident of the Province of Manitoba, and

Whereas attention has been drawn to the fact that the offence with which the said Sovvo Fedorenko is accused is alleged to be of a political character, and

Whereas large numbers of people from foreign countries have settled in, and still continue to seek homes in this country, and

Whereas it is highly desirable that such people should feel at all times that their rights and liberties will be respected to the fullest possible extent while they are residents of Canada;

Therefore be it resolved that we, the Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, in Session assembled, do hereby suggest to the Honourable the Minister of Justice of Canada the desirability of making a thorough investigation of the nature of the offence of which the said Sovvo Fedorenko is accused, and if the same is found to be of a political nature to refuse to make an order for the surrender of the said Sovvo Fedorenko, as provided for in the "Extradition Act."

A debate followed,

And the motion being again put, it was carried unanimously.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 9, an Act respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The House adjourned at 4.30 to Monday next at 4.00 o'clock.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 4 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Rutherford: Of the City Council of Strathcona respecting Amendments to the Charter.

By Mr. Cushing: Of the City of Calgary respecting the amending and consolidating of Calgary Charter.

By Mr. Cushing: Of James A. Walker, James E. Rice, Fred R. Lyne and others respecting the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company.

By Mr. Bennett: Of D. J. Young, C. Hague, F. Macbeth and others respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Town of Macleod.

For an Act respecting the North Western Life Insurance Company.

For an Act respecting the University of Calgary.

For an Act respecting the Calgary College.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 5, an Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to Committee of the Whole House on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 7, an Act respecting the University of Alberta,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 20, an Act respecting the raising of Loans authorized by the Legislature,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to Committee of the Whole House on Tuesday next.

Mr. Bramley-Moore moved the following motion, of which he had given notice, seconded by Mr. Cornwall:

Whereas the development of the Northern Districts of our province entails serious financial and other obligations;

Therefore, Be it resolved that the Government do take such steps as may be deemed necessary to acquire the control of all such natural resources as are of purely local concern; and also enter into such arrangements with respect to the settlement of vacant land as may be expedient for the interests of the Province of Alberta.

A debate followed,

And on motion of Mr. Cornwall the debate was adjourned to Tuesday.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell laid on the table the report of the Liquor License administration from January 1st to October 31st, 1910.

(Sessional Paper No. 4.)

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 54, an Act respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 29, an Act respecting Charges upon Land contained in Certain Instruments, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday.

The House according to Order resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 10, an Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Tuesday.

The House adjourned at six o'clock.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. McKenney: Of Eutrope Gaborit, Emile Heinmetz, Gaston Carpentier, asking for the incorporation of Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus.

By Mr. Roberts: Of James A. MacCullough, A. J. Samis, and E. F. Ryan, respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway Company.

By Mr. Roberts: Of C. C. Short, H. Norman Sheppard, C. A. Gigot and others, respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway Company.

By Mr. Olin: Of the City of Wetaskiwin respecting the City of Wetaskiwin.

By Mr. Cross: Of the City Hospital respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

By Mr. Puffer: Of The Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway Company respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway.

By Mr. Puffer: Of the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company.

The following petition was read and received:

For an Act respecting the Edmonton Charter.

Mr. Puffer from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders begs to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Calgary College (Bill No. 56).

2. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Lethbridge Charter (Bill No. 12).

3. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Calgary University (Bill No. 48).

4. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Great North Insurance Company (Bill No. 4).

5. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Edmonton Young Women's Christian Association (Bill No. 30).

6. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway (Bill No. 35).

7. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway (Bill No. 3).

8. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge (Bill No. 25).

9. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the Town of Macleod (Bill No. 6).

10. That with respect to the petition for an Act respecting the City of Medicine Hat (Bill No. 40).

The Committee find that with respect to Bills Nos. 56, 12, 48, 4, 30, 3 and 35, the Rules of the House with regard to advertising and the payment of fees have been fully complied with; but in the cases of Bills Nos. 25, 6 and 40 the Rules of the House in regard to the payment of fees have been fully complied with, but that the Rules in regard to advertising have not been fully complied with; but upon consideration the Committee find it expedient that the Rules be suspended, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bills.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Bennett have leave to introduce Bill No. 48 respecting the University of Calgary.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Michener have leave to introduce Bill No. 56 respecting the Calgary College.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Patterson have leave to introduce Bill No. 6 respecting the Town of Macleod.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Warnock have leave to introduce Bill No. 3 respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday.

Ordered, That Mr. Buchanan have leave to introduce Bill No. 25 respecting the Registration of a Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Buchanan have leave to introduce Bill No. 4 respecting the Great North Insurance Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce Bill No. 40 respecting the Medicine Hat Charter.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Buchanan have leave to introduce Bill No. 12 respecting the Lethbridge Charter.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Debate on Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion continued.

Mr. O'Brien moved the adjournment of the debate.

Mr. Bennett moved the following motion of which he had given notice, seconded by Mr. Michener:

That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Honour will cause to be laid before this House all letters, telegrams, correspondence, papers and documents, in connection with the resignation of the Government of the Hon. A. C. Rutherford, and the summoning of the Hon. Arthur Lewis Sifton, then Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Province, to assume the responsibility of forming a new administration.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Bennett moved the following motion of which he had given notice, seconded by Mr. Michener:

That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:

All letters, telegrams, memoranda, correspondence and documents in the custody or possession of the Government, or any Department of the Public Service, regarding the acquisition of and payment for a boulevard along the Bow River, in the east half of Section 19, Township 24, Range 1, west of the 5th Meridian.

The motion was carried unanimously.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 42, an Act respecting the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Sugar Beet Bonuses.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Rights of Married Women in the estates of their Deceased Husbands.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the bonds guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Water-

ways Railway Company, being an Act to specify certain defaults and the consequent rights of the Province.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 10, an Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Wednesday.

The Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table:

A Return to an Order of the House showing:

1. The total area of School lands sold in Alberta up to the 1st of July, 1910.

2. The average purchase price per acre realized.

3. The amount of Revenue received by the Province from School Lands Fund in each of the years 1905 to 1910, inclusive.

4. The cost of administration in each of the years 1905 to 1909, inclusive. *(Sessional Paper No. 5.)*

The House adjourned at six o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Bramley-Moore: Of Robert Albert Grant, Robert Henry Percival, William James Crook, asking for the incorporation of the Peace River Great Western Railway.

By Mr. Roberts: Of J. A. Lougheed, C. H. Lougheed and J. Taylor, asking for the incorporation of the Scottish Canadian Loan and Savings Company.

By Mr. Roberts: Of M. E. Church, D. M. McMillan and others, respecting the regulations of Osteopaths and Osteopathy.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus.

For an Act respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway.

For an Act respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Railway.

For an Act respecting the Western Canada Fire Insurance Co.

For an Act respecting the Calgary Charter.

For an Act respecting the City of Westaskiwin.

Mr. Puffer from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders begs to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition respecting the Edmonton Charter (Bill No. 55).

2. That with respect to the Bill respecting the Chartered Accountants' Association (Bill No. 52).

The Committee find that with respect to the above mentioned Bills, that the Rules of the House with regard to advertising and the payment of fees have been fully complied with.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Dr. Warnock from the Standing Committee on Railways presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways beg to report as follows:

The Standing Committee on Railways have fully considered Bill No. 9, being an Act to incorporate the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company, and beg to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill respecting amendments to the Game Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Debate on Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion continued.

Mr. Bennett moved the adjournment of the debate.

The Order of the Day being read for the First reading of Bill No. 30, an Act respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton,

The said Bill was read a First time, and

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the First reading of Bill No. 35, an Act respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway,

The said Bill was read a First time, and

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 3, an Act respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 5, an Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker

resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Thursday.

The House adjourned at six o'clock.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Warnock, for Mr. Boudreau: Of the Town of St. Albert respecting the Electric Light Agreement of the Town of St. Albert.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Strathcona Charter.

For an Act respecting the Scottish Canadian Loan and Savings Company.

For an Act respecting Osteopaths and Osteopathy.

For an Act respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway.

For an Act respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Railway.

For an Act respecting the Peace River Great Western Railway.

For an Act respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club.

Mr. Puffer from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition of the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company (Bill No. 26).

2. That with respect to the petition respecting the NorthWestern Life Insurance Company (Bill No. 27).

3. That with respect to the petition respecting the Ordinances of the City of Calgary (Bill No. 43).

4. That with respect to the petition respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus (Bill No. 13).

5. That with respect to the petition respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway (Bill No. 57).

The Committee find that with respect to the first four Bills mentioned above, that the Rules of the House with regard to advertising and the payment of fees have been fully complied with, but the rules with regard to advertising in the case of the last mentioned Bill have not been fully complied with; but upon consideration the Committee find it expedient that the Rules be suspended, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Rutherford asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

What were the total amounts expended by the Province from the 1st of September to the 31st of May, 1910, for the following:

1. The construction of buildings other than *re* telephone construction?

A.—\$1,597,802.90.

2. The purchase of sites other than *re* telephone construction?

A.—\$405,346.30.

3. The construction of steel bridges?

A.—\$726,428.66.

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Has C. A. Masten, K.C., of Toronto, been employed by the Government?

A.—Yes.

2. If so, when?

A.—He came to Edmonton about two days ago.

3. In what capacity?

A.—Temporary legal adviser.

Mr. Michener asked the Government the following question of which he had given notice:

What has been the total expenditure as well as the total receipts for Hail Insurance for the current year?

A.—Expenditure, \$399,914.53 to November 23rd, 1910. Revenue, \$111,180.00 to November 23rd, 1910.

Mr. Rutherford asked the following question of which he had given notice:

What was the total amount advanced to Creamery Associations unpaid on the 31st day of May, 1910?

A.—\$30,338.36.

Mr. Rutherford asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. What was the amount of interest standing to the credit of the Provincial Treasurer on the 31st day of May, 1910, *re* sale of bonds by the Canadian Northern Railway Co.?

A.—\$65,787.66.

2. What was the amount of interest standing to the credit of the Provincial Treasurer on the 31st day of May, 1910, *re* sale of bonds by the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Co., and on the 12th day of July, 1910?

A.—Accrued interest to May 31st, 1910, \$168,404.13. Accrued interest to July 12th, 1910, \$198,493.77.

Mr. Bennett moved for a return showing:

All correspondence between the Provincial Auditor and His Honour the Lieutenant Governor since September 1st, 1905.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Bennett moved for a return showing:

All letters, telegrams, memoranda, correspondence, documents, and papers in the custody or possession of the Government or any Department of the Public Service, regarding the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, and the Canada West Construction Company, Limited, subsequent to the 1st day of June, 1910.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table a return to an Order of the House, containing copies of all letters, telegrams, memoranda, correspondence, documents, and papers in the custody or possession of the Government or any Department of the Public Service, regarding the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, and the Canada West Construction Company, Limited, subsequent to the 1st day of June, 1910.

(Sessional Paper No. 6.)

Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table a return to an Order of the House, containing copies of all letters, telegrams, correspondence, papers and documents in connection with the resignation of the Hon. A. C. Rutherford, and the summoning of the Hon. Arthur Lewis Sifton, then Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Province, to assume the responsibility of forming a new administration.

(Sessional Paper No. 7.)

Ordered, That Mr. Bennett have leave to introduce Bill No. 65, an Act to amend The Alberta Election Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

The debate on Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion continued.

Mr. Smith moved the adjournment of the debate.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce Bill No. 52, an Act respecting the Chartered Accountants' Association.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce Bill No. 27, an Act respecting the North Western Life Insurance Co.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cross have leave to introduce Bill No. 55, an Act respecting the Edmonton Charter.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenney have leave to introduce Bill No. 13, an Act respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cushing have leave to introduce Bill No. 43, an Act respecting the Calgary Charter.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cushing have leave to introduce Bill No. 26, an Act respecting the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 29 respecting Charges upon Land contained in Certain Instruments,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Charges upon Lands contained in Certain Instruments."

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 32, an Act respecting the Fortnightly Payment of Wages,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 47, an Act to amend the School Ordinances,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 9, an Act respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee be allowed to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The Hon. Duncan Marshall, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the House, by command of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, the report of the Department of Agriculture for 1910.
(*Sessional Paper No. 8.*)

Mr. Puffer from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway Company (Bill No. 61).

2. That with respect to the petition respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club (Bill No. 58).

3. That with respect to the petition respecting the Strathcona Charter (Bill No. 59).

4. That with respect to the petition respecting the Peace River and Great Western Railway (Bill No. 51).

5. That with respect to the petition respecting the City of Wetaskiwin (Bill No. 62).

The Committee find that with respect to the above mentioned Bills, the Rules of the House with regard to advertising and the payment of fees have been fully complied with, and beg to report the Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Warnock, from the Standing Committee on Railways, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways beg to report as follows:

The Standing Committee on Railways have fully considered Bill No. 3, an Act respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway, and beg to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Bennett have leave to introduce Bill No. 58 respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Roberts have leave to introduce Bill No. 61 respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce Bill No. 59 respecting the Strathcona Charter.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bramley-Moore have leave to introduce Bill No. 51 respecting the Peace River and Great Western Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce Bill No. 46 respecting the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 16, an Act respecting the Rights of Married Women,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 64, an Act respecting the Bonds Guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, being an Act to Specify certain Defaults of the Railway, and the consequent rights of the Province,

Mr. Bennett rose to a point of order, and claimed that the Bill had not been printed and distributed to the Members for a sufficiently long period, quoting Rule 40, and therefore objected to the Second reading of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker decided that the motion for the Second reading of the Bill was in order.

Mr. Bennett challenged the Speaker's ruling.

The Speaker then asked, "Is it the pleasure of the House to sustain the Speaker?" to which the House answered "yes" and "no."

The Speaker said, "The Speaker is sustained."

Mr. Bennett then called for the yeas and nays, quoting Rule No. 89.

The Speaker declined to agree to this request, and said he did not think it was necessary.

After some discussion between the Speaker and Mr. Bennett, the Speaker called upon the Hon. Mr. Sifton to proceed with his motion for the Second reading of the Bill.

A debate followed.

Mr. Cote moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion:

On the motion of Mr. Smith, the debate was adjourned to Monday next.

Upon the Order of the Day being read that an Order of the House do issue for a return showing all correspondence, memoranda, and documents relating to the forming of two new school districts out of Belmont School District No. 23,

Mr. Patterson by leave of the House withdrew the motion.

The Order of the Day being read for the First reading of Bill No. 57, an Act respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway.—Mr. Roberts.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 12, an Act respecting the Lethbridge Charter.—Mr. Buchanan.

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 13, an Act respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus.—Mr. McKenney.

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Ordered, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Presenting Petitions."

Mr. Boyle then presented the petition of the Alberta Western Railway Company.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 9 respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a Third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 20, an Act respecting the raising of Loans authorized by the Legislature, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 5, an Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance, and after some time spent therein Mr.

Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock to 4 o'clock on Monday.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 4 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Rutherford: Of C. W. Clark, R. J. Kennedy, and others, respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada.

By Mr. Boyle: Of J. J. Beauchamp, John O'Neill, Pierre Dorais, and others, respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars.

By Mr. Boyle: Of E. C. Emery, C. F. Newell, and others, respecting the Alberta North Western Railway Company.

Ordered, That Mr. Bennett have leave to introduce Bill No. 66, an Act respecting the Legislature of Alberta.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 64, an Act respecting the Bonds guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company,

A debate followed.

Adjourned debate: Mr. Cornwall.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 46, an Act respecting the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Tuesday.

Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion:

On the motion of Mr. Smith, the debate was adjourned to Tuesday.

Ordered, That Mr. Roberts have leave to introduce Bill No. 57, an Act respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Olin have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the City of Wetaskiwin.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 4, an Act to incorporate the Great North Insurance Company, The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 6, an Act respecting the Town of Macleod, The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 26, an Act to incorporate the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 30, an Act to incorporate the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 35, an Act respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway, The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 40, an Act respecting the City of Medicine Hat,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 43, an Act respecting the Calgary Charter,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 48, an Act respecting the Calgary University,
A debate followed.

The debate adjourned on the motion of Mr. O'Brien.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 51, an Act respecting the Peace River and Great Western Railway,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 53, an Act respecting the Village of Stafford,
The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 25, an Act respecting the transfer of land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge,
The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock to Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Electric Light Agreement of the Town of St. Albert.

For an Act respecting the Alberta Northwestern Railway Company.

For an Act respecting the Alberta Western Railway Company.

For an Act respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to recommend that the time for presenting petitions be extended to Thursday, December 1st.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Q.—What has been the expenditure of the Province on capital account for telephones up to the 31st day of October, 1910?

A.—For four years ending 1909 \$1,833,047.91

For 10 months ending October 31, 1910..... 674,948.67

Total expenditure on capital account..... \$2,507,996.58

2. Q.—What has been the capital expenditure on telephones in the City of Calgary during the same time?

A.—From April 1st, 1908, to Dec. 31, 1909..... \$426,197.46

For 10 months ending October 31, 1910..... 219,689.17

Total Calgary expenditure, capital account... \$645,886.63

3. Q.—What has been the revenue for the Telephone System for 1910?

A.—For ten months ending October 31st, 1910, \$314,616.05.

4. Q.—What has been the cost of operation of the said system for 1910?

A.—For ten months ending October 31st, 1910, \$143,470.31.

5. Q.—Of the revenue for 1910, how much has been contributed by the Province?

A.—All of the revenue contributed by telephone users in the Province, excepting the sum of \$1,091.43, as revenue from Kootenay Telephone Lines, Limited.

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Q.—Has the Government acquired a site for a Court House at Medicine Hat?

A.—Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 10, have been acquired for Court House site.

2. Q.—If so, when?

A.—Transfers were received March 24th, 1909.

3. Q.—From whom?

A.—From W. J. McLean and R. J. Rice.

4. Q.—At what price?

A.—\$11,000.00.

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Q.—Have any sums been paid to the Canadian Northern Railway Company, or the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, on account of their guarantee of their securities by the Province?

A.—Yes.

2. Q.—If so, how much?

A.—Canadian Northern Railway Company, \$2,072,200.00; Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, \$536,997.50.

3. Q.—When?

A.—Canadian Northern Railway Company, July 14th, 1910, \$1,596,400.00; September 15th, 1910, \$475,800.00. Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company: February 7th, 1910, \$357,500.00; July 21st, 1910, \$179,497.50.

Mr. Hoadley asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Q.—What was the total amount of the Educational Tax levied in 1908 and 1909?

A.—The total assessment for the year 1908 under the Educational Tax Act amounted to \$151,730.81. The total assessment under the same Act for the year 1909 amounted to \$144,539.79.

2. Q.—What is the amount of the Educational Tax collected in 1908 and 1909?

A.—The total amount of educational taxes collected in the year 1908 was \$86,194.23, and the total amount collected for the year 1909 was \$93,067.87.

Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion:

On the motion of Mr. Smith, the debate was adjourned to Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 48, an Act respecting the Calgary University,
The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 55, an Act respecting the Edmonton Charter,
The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 64, an Act respecting the Bonds guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Company.—Adjourned debate.

The debate continued.

On the motion of Mr. Bennett, the debate was adjourned to Wednesday.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill to amend an Act respecting Noxious Weeds.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill to amend an Act respecting the Manufacture of Butter and Cheese.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 5, an Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock to 3 o'clock Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Shaw: Of the Town of Stettler, respecting the Town of Stettler.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway Company.

2. That with respect to the petition respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company.

The Committee find that with respect to the above mentioned Bills, the Rules of the House with regard to fees have been fully complied with, but that the rules with regard to advertising have not been fully complied with, but upon consideration the Committee find it expedient that the rule with regard to advertising be suspended, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McDougall, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills have fully considered the following Bills, and beg to report same with certain amendments:

Bill No. 30, respecting the Edmonton Young Women's Christian Association.

Bill No. 4, respecting the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association.

Bill No. 54, respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 64, an Act respecting the Bonds Guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company.—Adjourned debate.

The debate continued.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, the debate was adjourned to Thursday.

Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion:

On the motion of Mr. Smith, the debate adjourned to Thursday.

The Order of the Day being read that an Order of the House do issue for a return showing:

All fire insurance carried by the Province, specifying the Companies in which the same is carried; the amount of each policy, the rate, and amount of premium paid, and to whom paid.

The motion was agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 9, an Act respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 52, an Act respecting the Institute of Chartered Accountants, The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 57, an Act respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway Company,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 58 respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 5, an Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Monday next.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock to 3 o'clock Thursday.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Campbell: G. H. Graydon, A. Archibald, D. W. Macdonald, and others, respecting the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association.

The following petitions were read and received:

For an Act respecting the Town of Stettler.

For an Act respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition respecting the Alberta North Western Railway Company (Bill No. 1).

2. That with respect to the petition respecting the Alberta Western Railway Company (Bill No. 67).

3. That with respect to the petition respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars (Bill No. 45).

With respect to the first mentioned Bill, the Rules of the House have been fully complied with; but with respect to the second two

Bills the fees have been paid, but the Rules with regard to advertising have not been fully complied with; but the Committee find it expedient that the Rules be suspended, and leave be granted to introduce the Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McDougall, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills have fully considered the following Bills:

1. Bill No. 4, respecting the Great North Insurance Co.
2. Bill No. 26, respecting the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company.
3. Bill No. 13, respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus, And beg to report the same.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table the Fourth Annual Report of the Department of Education, for 1909, Part I.
(*Sessional Paper No. 9.*)

Mr. Hoadley asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Q.—What has been the total amount expended on the construction of the Land Titles Office, Calgary?

A.—\$143,868.01.

2. Q.—What has been the total amount expended on the construction of the Normal School, Calgary?

A.—\$218,218.47.

Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion:

On the motion of Mr. Smith, the debate was adjourned to Friday.

Ordered, That Mr. Puffer have leave to introduce Bill No. 72 respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Puffer have leave to introduce Bill No. 73 respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 64, an Act respecting the Bonds Guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company.—Adjourned debate.

The debate continued.

Mr. Patterson moved the adjournment of the debate, and the question being put by the Speaker,

He declared the Nays have it.

And the names being called for, were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Lessard
Patterson
Cornwall
McPherson
Gunn
Puffer
Michener
Hoadley
Bramley-Moore
Shaw
O'Brien

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Against the motion:

Messieurs Sifton
Mitchell
McLean
Marshall
McKenzie
Woolf
Rutherford
Buchanan
Cushing
McDougall
Boyle
Smith
Walker
Telford
Campbell
McKenney
Olin
Warnock
Boudreau
Cote
Holden
Simpson
Glendenning
McArthur
Stauffer

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The debate continued.

On the motion of Mr. Michener, the debate was adjourned to Friday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 47, a Bill to amend the School Ordinance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock to 3 o'clock Friday.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1910.

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law have fully considered Bill No. 12 respecting the Lethbridge Charter, and beg to report same.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Warnock, from the Standing Committee on Railways, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways have fully considered Bill No. 51 respecting the Peace River and Great Western Railway, and beg to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Referring to Mr. Bennett's questions *re* telephones:

Mr. Sifton laid on the table the answer to Question No. 5.

Q.—Of the revenue for 1910 how much has been contributed by the Province?

A.—Telephone Rentals..... \$ 802.70
Telephone Tolls..... 2,599.65

\$3,402.35

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 64 respecting the Bonds Guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company,

Moved by Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell, That the said Bill be now read a Second time.

To this motion Mr. Michener, seconded by Mr. Hoadley, proposed the following amendment:

That all the words after the word "That" be struck out, and the following substituted therefor:

The Alberta and Great Waterways Company was incorporated by the Legislature of the Province of Alberta in the year 1909, and by Chapter 16 of the Statutes of the Province for the same year provision was made for the guarantee of the bonds of the said Railway Company, and bonds to the extent of \$7,400,000.00 were in fact guaranteed by the Province and issued and sold by the Railway Company in accordance with the terms and provisions of the said Statutes in that behalf, the rights, duties and obligations of the Province and the Railway Company being set out and defined by a certain mortgage deed between the said Railway Company, and His Majesty the King, represented therein by the then Prime Minister

of the Province and the Standard Trust Company; a contract made between the said Railway Company and His Majesty the King as represented therein by the then Executive Government of the Province of Alberta and certain Orders in Council, and this Legislature is not warranted in depriving the said Railway Company of the money realized from the sale of the bonds or diverting such money to any purposes other than those for which the same was borrowed and loaned on the ground that such Railway Company has made default in performance of all or any of its obligations under the said Statutes, mortgage, contract, and Orders in Council, unless and until it has been determined by due process of law that the said Railway Company has made such defaults and every reasonable effort for the peaceable settlement of the difference between the Railway Company and the Province has been exhausted.

The debate continued.

It being six o'clock the Speaker left the chair.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 8 P.M.

The debate continued.

And the amendment being put, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs Rutherford

Cross

Lessard

Cote

Cornwall

McPherson

Gunn

Patterson

Michener

Hoadley

Bramley-Moore

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Against the amendment:

Messieurs Sifton

Mitchell

McLean

Marshall

McKenzie

Woolf

Buchanan

Cushing

McDougall

Boyle

Simpson

Smith

Stewart

Walker

Telford
 Campbell
 McKenney
 Olin
 Warnock
 Boudreau
 Puffer
 Holden
 Glendenning
 McArthur
 Shaw
 Stauffer

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Paired: Bennett, for; Roberts, against.
 The amendment was therefore lost.
 And the motion being again put,
 And the names being called for, were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Sifton
 Mitchell
 McLean
 Marshall
 McKenzie
 Woolf
 Buchanan
 Cushing
 McDougall
 Boyle
 Simpson
 Smith
 Stewart
 Telford
 Campbell
 McKenney
 Olin
 Warnock
 Boudreau
 Holden
 Glendenning
 McArthur
 Shaw
 Stauffer

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Against the motion:

Messieurs Rutherford
 Cross
 Lessard
 Walker
 Cote
 Cornwall
 McPherson
 Gunn
 Puffer

Patterson
Michener
Hoadley
Bramley-Moore 13

Paired: Bennett, against; Roberts, for.
The motion was therefore carried.

The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole House
on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill
No. 60 respecting the Sugar Beet Bonus,
The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole on
Monday next.

Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion:
On the motion of Mr. Smith, the debate was adjourned to Monday
next.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce Bill No. 1
respecting the Alberta North Western Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was
received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce Bill No. 45
respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was
received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce Bill No. 67
respecting the Alberta Western Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was
received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill
No. 59 to amend the Strathcona Charter, the said Bill was read a
Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill
No. 61 respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway
Company,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The House adjourned at 9.30 to 4 o'clock on Monday next.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 4 o'clock.

His Honour G. H. V. Bulyea, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta, having entered the House, and being seated on the Throne,

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles to the following Bills to be assented to as follows:

9. An Act respecting the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company.

29. An Act respecting Charges upon Land contained in Certain Instruments.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly as follows:

"In His Majesty's name His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the House.

The following petition was presented:

By Mr. Simpson: Of the Dominion Trust Company, Limited, respecting the Dominion Trust Company, Limited.

The following petition was read and received:

For an Act respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 5 respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance, Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance."

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 62 respecting the Game Act,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 65 respecting the Alberta Election Act,

A debate followed, and

The motion being again put, it was decided in the negative.

Adjourned debate on Mr. Bramley-Moore's motion; seconded by Mr. Cornwall:

Whereas, the development of the Northern Districts of our Province entails serious financial and other obligations;

Therefore, be it resolved, That the Government do take such steps as may be deemed necessary to acquire the control of all such natural resources as are of purely local concern; and also enter into

such arrangements with respect to the settlement of vacant land as may be expedient for the interests of the Province of Alberta.

Mr. Smith moved the following amendment, seconded by Mr. Stewart:

That all words after the words "Resolved that" in the resolution be struck out and the following substituted:

"This House approves of the action of the Government in already opening negotiations with the Ottawa Government for the securing of the best possible arrangement with respect to the control of all such natural resources as are of a purely local concern and that they be urged to continue such negotiations."

A debate followed.

The amendment was then put, and declared carried.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 56 respecting Calgary College,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 63 respecting the City of Wetaskiwin,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Bills.

Ordered, That Bill No. 67 respecting the Alberta Western Railway be placed on the Order Paper for Second reading to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 67 respecting the Alberta Western Railway,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 64 respecting the Bonds Guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday next.

It being 6 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the chair.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1910.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 60 respecting the Sugar Beet Bonus, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 20 respecting the Raising of Loans authorized by the Legislature, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 47, a Bill to amend the School Ordinance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 30 respecting the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 42 respecting the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 46 respecting the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and the Committee have leave to sit again on Tuesday.

The House adjourned at 11.30 to 3 o'clock Tuesday.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petition was read and received:

For an Act respecting the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows:

1. That with respect to the petition respecting Osteopaths and Osteopathy (Bill No. 78).

2. That with respect to the petition respecting the Town of Stettler (Bill No. 2).

3. That with respect to the petition respecting the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association (Bill No. 75).

4. That with respect to the petition respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital (Bill No. 34).

5. That with respect to the petition respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada (Bill No. 68).

With respect to the above Bills, the Committee find that the Rules of the House in regard to the payment of fees and advertising have been fully complied with, and beg to report the Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Warnock, from the Standing Committee on Railways, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways have fully considered Bill No. 67 respecting the Alberta Western Railway Company, and beg to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McDougall, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills have fully considered Bill No. 25 respecting a Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge, and beg to report same with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table a return to an Order of the House, showing all Fire Insurance carried by the Province, specifying the Companies in which the same is carried, the amount of each policy, the rate, and the amount of premium paid, and to whom paid. (*Sessional Paper No. 10.*)

Mr. Bennett asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice:

1. Q.—What is the present indebtedness of the Province of Alberta? (a) Bonded. (b) Current.

A.—(a) \$2,000,200.00. (b) \$3,173,993.45 to December 1st, 1910.

2. Q.—To what Banks is the current debt due?

A.—The Imperial Bank of Canada.

3. Q.—What is the amount of indebtedness to each?

A.—All to the Imperial Bank of Canada.

Ordered, That Mr. Roberts have leave to introduce Bill No. 78 respecting Osteopaths and Osteopathy.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McDougall, for Mr. Cross, have leave to introduce Bill No. 34 respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 45 respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars, The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 1 respecting the Alberta North Western Railway Company, The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

Ordered, That Mr. O'Brien have leave to introduce Bill No. 77, an Act to amend the Coal Mines Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bennett have leave to introduce Bill No. 74 respecting the Married Women's Property Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 11, an Act to Prevent Priority among Execution Creditors, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 3 respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker

resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 46 respecting the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 62, an Act to amend the Game Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 12 respecting the Lethbridge Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 54 respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

It being 6 o'clock the Speaker left the chair.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 8 P.M.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 7 respecting the University of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 51 respecting the Peace River and Great Western Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Bill No. 25 respecting a Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge, and Bill No. 67, respecting the Alberta Western Railway, be placed upon the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 67 respecting the Alberta Western Railway and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 25 respecting a Certain Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 13 respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That Bill No. 34 respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital be placed on the order paper for Second reading to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 34 respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

The House adjourned at 9 o'clock to 3 o'clock Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Cornwall rose to a matter of privilege. He called attention to an article in the "Edmonton Capital" dated December 6th, 1910, which, he stated, reflected upon the reputation of an honourable member of this House. He laid the said paper upon the table of the House.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders have considered the following Bills, and advise that the fees for printing be remitted:

A Bill respecting the Salvation Army.

A Bill respecting the Edmonton Young Women's Christian Association.

A Bill respecting the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association.

A Bill respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association.

A Bill respecting the Calgary College.

A Bill respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada.

A Bill respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

A Bill respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars.

A Bill respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus.

A Bill respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Railway.

A Bill respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McDougall, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills have fully considered the following Bills, and beg to report same with certain amendments:

Bill No. 48.—A Bill respecting the Calgary University.

Bill No. 52.—A Bill respecting the Institute of Chartered Accountants.

Bill No. 56.—A Bill respecting the Calgary College.

Bill No. 34.—A Bill respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Smith, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law have had the following Bills under consideration, and beg to report same.

Bill No. 6.—A Bill respecting the Town of Macleod.

Bill No. 53.—A Bill respecting the Village of Stafford.

Bill No. 63.—A Bill respecting the City of Wetaskiwin.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce a Bill, an Act to amend the Agricultural Societies Ordinance.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Bill No. 69 respecting Noxious Weeds, and Bill No. 70, an Act to amend an Act respecting Butter and Cheese, be placed on the Order Paper for Second reading to-day as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 69 respecting Noxious Weeds,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 70, an Act to amend an Act respecting Butter and Cheese,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the First reading of Bill No. 2 respecting the Town of Stettler, the Bill by leave of the House was withdrawn.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce Bill No. 68 respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time to-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. Campbell have leave to introduce Bill No. 75 respecting the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Friday.

Ordered, That Bill No. 27 respecting the North Western Life Insurance Company be placed on the Order Paper for to-day as printed for Second reading.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 27 respecting the North Western Life Insurance Company, the motion was put and declared lost.

Ordered, That Bill No. 72 respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Railway, and Bill No. 73 respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway, be placed on the Order Paper for Second reading to-day as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 72 respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Railway,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 73 respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway,
The said Bill was read a Second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 11, an Act to Prevent Priority Amongst Execution Creditors, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 10 respecting Witnesses and Evidence, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 4 respecting the Great North Insurance Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 26 respecting the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. McKenzie reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Monday next.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock to 3 o'clock Thursday.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petition was read and received:

Of the Dominion Trust Company for an Act of Incorporation.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders have fully considered Bill No. 76, respecting a certain agreement between the Town of St. Albert and one Brutinel, and find that the rules with regard to the payment of fees have been complied with, but that the rules with regard to advertising have not been fully complied with, and advise that the rules with regard to advertising be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Warnock from the Standing Committee on Railways, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways have had under consideration Bill No. 1, respecting the Alberta North Western Railway Company; Bill No. 57, respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway Company, and beg to report the Bills with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Smith, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law have had the following Bills under consideration, and beg to report the same with amendments:

Bill No. 40, respecting the Medicine Hat Charter.

Bill No. 55, respecting the City of Edmonton.

Bill No. 59, respecting the City of Strathcona.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table a return to an Order of the House, showing all letters, telegrams, memoranda, correspondence and documents in the custody or possession of the Government, or any Department of the Public Service, regarding the acquisition of and payment for a boulevard along the Bow River, in the east half of Section 19, Township 24, Range 1, West of the Fifth Meridian.

(Sessional Paper No. 11.)

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 30 respecting the Edmonton Young Women's Christian Association,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 42 respecting the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association, Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill be now passed, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association."

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 68 respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada,

The said Bill was read a Second time.

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

Ordered, That Bill No. 78 respecting Osteopaths and Osteopathy be placed on the Order Paper for to-day for Second reading, as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 78 respecting Osteopaths and Osteopathy,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Marshall have leave to introduce Bill No. 71 respecting the Public Health Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 20 respecting the Raising of Loans authorized by the Legislature,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Raising of Loans authorized by the Legislature."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 47, a Bill to amend the School Ordinances,

Resolved, That the order for the Third reading of Bill No. 47 be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 60 respecting the Sugar Beet Bonus,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Sugar Beet Bonus."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 64 respecting the Bonds guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act respecting the Bonds guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, being an Act to specify certain Defaults of the Railway, and the consequent Rights of the Province."

Ordered, That Bill No. 43 respecting the City of Calgary, by leave of the House, be withdrawn.

Ordered, That Mr. Bennett have leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Acts and Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be placed on the Order Paper for Second reading to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 43, to amend the Acts and Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 69, an Act to amend an Act respecting Noxious Weeds, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 70, an Act respecting Butter and Cheese, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 6 respecting the Town of Macleod, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Bill No. 1 respecting the Alberta North Western Railway be placed on the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 53 respecting the Village of Stafford, and after some time spent therein Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 63 respecting the City of Wetaskiwin, and after some time spent therein Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 47 respecting the School Ordinances, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 52 respecting the Institute of Chartered Accountants, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again to-day.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

It being 6 o'clock the Speaker left the chair.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 8 P.M.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 52 respecting the Institute of Chartered Accountants, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 72 respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 73 respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 34 respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That Bill No. 34, respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital, be placed on the Order Paper for Third reading to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 34, respecting the Royal Alexandra Hospital,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to enable the Directors of the City Hospital to change the name thereof to the Royal Alexandra Hospital, and for other purposes."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 1 respecting the Alberta North Western Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Bill No. 43 respecting the Acts and Ordinances of the City of Calgary, Bill No. 55, respecting the Edmonton Charter, Bill No. 59, respecting the Strathcona Charter, and Bill No. 40, respecting the Medicine Hat Charter, be placed on the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 43 respecting the Acts and Ordinances of the City of Calgary, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 55 respecting the Edmonton Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 40 respecting the Medicine Hat Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 59 respecting the Stratheona Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 48 respecting the University of Calgary, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Friday.

The House adjourned at 12.15 Friday morning.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1910.

The Clerk informed the House that the Speaker would not be able to attend to-day, but that the Deputy Speaker would occupy the chair.

The Deputy Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by His Honour George H. V. Bulyea, Lieutenant Governor:

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1910, and December 31st, 1911, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,

Edmonton, December 7th, 1910.

Mr. Speaker read the message to the House (the Members standing and being uncovered).

Ordered, That the Message of His Honour, with the Estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders have fully considered Bill No. 80, respecting the Dominion Trust Company, and find that the rules in regard to advertising and the payment of fees for printing have been fully complied with, and advise that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Warnock, from the Standing Committee on Railways, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways have fully considered Bill No. 35, respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway, and beg to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McDougall, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills have fully considered the following Bills, and beg to report same with amendments:

Bill No. 45, respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars.

Bill No. 58, respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club.

Bill No. 68, respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Hail Insurance Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Certain Persons Interested in the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Public Revenue of Alberta.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Mitchell have leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Statute Law.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 7, an Act respecting the University of Alberta,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the University of Alberta."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 46, an Act respecting the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to amend the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 62, an Act to amend the Game Act,

Resolved, That the order for the Third reading of Bill No. 62 be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 66, an Act respecting the Legislature of Alberta,

A debate followed.

And the motion being again put, and the names being called for, were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Michener
Bennett
Patterson
Bramley-Moore
Hoadley
O'Brien

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Against the motion:

Messieurs Sifton
Mitchell
McLean
Marshall
McKenzie
Rutherford
Cross
Lessard
Buchanan
McDougall
Boyle
Roberts
Smith
Stewart
Walker
Campbell
McKenney
Olin
Warnock
Boudreau
Cote
Cornwall
McPherson
Gunn
Puffer
Holden
Glendenning

McArthur

Stauffer

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The motion was therefore declared lost.

Ordered, That Bill No. 71 respecting the Public Health be placed on the Order Paper for Second reading to-day as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 71 respecting the Public Health,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole on Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 77, an Act to amend the Coal Mines Act,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Ordered, That Bill No. 79 respecting the Agricultural Societies Ordinance, be placed on the Order Paper for to-day as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 79 respecting the Agricultural Societies Ordinance,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 3 respecting the Pincher Creek, Cardston and Montana Railway,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Alberta Pacific Railway."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 12, an Act to amend the Lethbridge Charter,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend the Lethbridge Charter."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 51 respecting the Peace River and Great Western Railway,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Peace River Great Western Railway."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 54 respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 25, respecting a certain Transfer of Land from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge, known as Galt Park,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to provide for the Registration of a certain Transfer from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge, of Land known as Galt Park."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 67, respecting the Alberta Western Railway,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Alberta Western Railway."

Ordered, That Mr. Boudreau have leave to introduce Bill No. 76, respecting a Certain Agreement between the Town of St. Albert and Raymond Brutinel.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cote have leave to introduce Bill No. 80, respecting the Dominion Trust Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, To be read a Second time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 57 respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 78 to regulate Osteopaths and Osteopathy, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported that a resolution had been carried, "That I do now leave the chair."

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 13 respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 62, an Act to amend the Game Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Wednesday next.

It being 6 o'clock, the Speaker left the chair.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 9 P.M.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 48, respecting the Calgary University, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Bennett reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Bill No. 45 respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars, Bill No. 68 respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada, Bill No. 35 respecting the Edmonton Inter-urban Railway, and Bill No. 58 respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club, be placed on the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 68 respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Bennett reported progress, and asked leave to sit again on Monday.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that leave be granted to sit again on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 45 respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Bill No. 71, respecting the Public Health be placed on the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 71 respecting the Public Health, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 56 respecting the Calgary College, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Bennett reported progress, and asked leave to sit again on Monday.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that leave be granted to sit again on Monday.

The House adjourned at 12.45 on Saturday morning.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 4 o'clock.

Mr. O'Brien called the attention of the House to a disaster in a coal mine at Bellevue and made certain observations thereon.

Hon. Mr. Sifton said the Inspector of Mines was at once sent to Bellevue and careful investigations were now being made into the facts of the sad disaster.

Moved by Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair and that this House immediately resolve itself into Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

A debate followed.

It being 6 o'clock, the Speaker left the chair.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 8 P.M.

The debate continued.

And the question being again put, the Speaker declared the "Ayes" have it, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Sifton
Mitchell
McLean
Marshall
McKenzie
Buchanan
McDougall

Boyle
 Simpson
 Smith
 Stewart
 Telford
 Campbell
 McKenney
 Olin
 Warnock
 Boudreau
 Cote
 Holden
 Glendenning
 McArthur 21

Against the motion:

Messieurs Rutherford
 Cross
 Lessard
 Cornwall
 McPherson
 Gunn
 Puffer
 Patterson
 Hoadley
 Bennett
 Bramley-Moore
 Shaw
 Stauffer 13

Paired: Woolf for; Walker against.

The motion was therefore carried.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair.

(House in Committee of Supply.)

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported that some progress had been made, and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 12 o'clock, midnight.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Puffer, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders have considered the following Bills, and advise that the fees for printing be remitted:

A Bill respecting the Town of Stettler.

A Bill respecting the Acts and Ordinances of the City of Calgary.

A Bill respecting the Calgary College.

A Bill respecting Osteopaths and Osteopathy.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Warnock, from the Standing Committee on Railways, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Railways have had Bill No. 61, respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway Company under consideration, and beg to report same with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 4, an Act to incorporate the Great North Insurance Company, Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Great North Insurance Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 26, an Act to Incorporate the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 48, an Act respecting the Calgary College,

Resolved, That the order of the Third reading of Bill No. 48 respecting the Calgary College be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred back to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 1, an Act to amend Chapter 53 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, being an Act to Incorporate the Alberta North Western Railway Company,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 53 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, being an Act to Incorporate the Alberta North Western Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 6, an Act to Validate and Confirm a certain By-law of the Town of Macleod, and increasing the Powers of the said Town of Macleod,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Validate and Confirm a Certain By-law of the Town of Macleod, and Increasing the Powers of the said Town of Macleod."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 40, an Act to amend and Consolidate the Medicine Hat Charter, Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend and Consolidate the Medicine Hat Charter."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 43, an Act amending the Acts and Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend the Acts and Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 52, an Act to Incorporate the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Alberta,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Alberta."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 53, an Act respecting the Village of Stafford,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Village of Stafford."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 59, respecting the Strathcona Charter,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend the Strathcona Charter."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 63, respecting the City of Wetaskiwin.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Validate and Confirm Certain Assessments and the Voters' List of the City of Wetaskiwin."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 72 respecting the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway Company,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend the Act to Incorporate the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 73 respecting the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend the Act to Incorporate the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company."

Ordered, That Bill No. 75 respecting the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association be placed on the Order Paper for to-day for second reading as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 75 respecting the Alberta Pharmaceutical Association,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Ordered, That Bill No. 80 respecting the Dominion Trust Company be placed on the Order Paper to-day for Second reading as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 80 respecting the Dominion Trust Company,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 76 respecting an agreement between the Town of St. Albert and Raymond Brutinel,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 10, an Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence,

Resolved, That the order for the Third reading of Bill No. 10, respecting Witnesses and Evidence, be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 11, an Act to Prevent Priority among Execution Creditors,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Prevent Priority among Execution Creditors."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 47, an Act to amend the School Ordinance, the School Assessment Ordinance, and the School Grants Ordinance,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend the School Ordinance, the School Assessment Ordinance, and the School Grants Ordinance."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 69, an Act to Amend Chapter 15 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, intituled the Noxious Weeds Act,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend Chapter 15 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, intituled the Noxious Weeds Act."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 70 respecting Butter and Cheese,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Amend Chapter 16 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, as amended by Chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1908."

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 81 respecting Hail Insurance,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Ordered, That Bill No. 74, respecting the Married Women's Property Act be placed on the Order Paper to-day for Second reading as printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 74 respecting the Married Women's Property Act,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 82 respecting Certain Persons interested in the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 83 respecting the Raising of Money on the Public Revenue of the Province,

The said Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 48 respecting the Calgary College, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Bennett reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 48, an Act respecting the Calgary College,

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Calgary College."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 56 respecting the Mount Royal College, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Bennett reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 83, a Bill for raising Money on the Public Revenue of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 82 respecting Certain Persons Interested in the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 81 respecting Hail Insurance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 79, a Bill to amend the Agricultural Societies Ordinance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 10 respecting Witnesses and Evidence, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be placed on the Order Paper for Third reading to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 10, an Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence,
Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.
The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.
Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 35 respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway, and

It being 6 o'clock Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and the House adjourned to 8 o'clock.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 8 P.M.

The Deputy Speaker took the chair.

Hon. Mr. Sifton moved:

"That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair and that this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to His Majesty."

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair.

(In Committee of Supply.)

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply, and after some time spent therein (in Committee of Supply) Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and Mr. Boyle reported the following resolutions from the Committee of Supply which were read as follows:

1. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray the expenses of Civil Government, Two Hundred and Two Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty-six Dollars and No Cents (\$202,266.00).

2. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray the expenses of Legislation, One Hundred and Six Thousand No Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$106,000.00).

3. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice, Six Hundred and Sixteen Thousand One Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars and No Cents (\$616,175.00).

4. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray expenses of Public Works, other than Telephone Account, One Million Eight Hundred and Fifty-four Thousand Six Hundred and Seven Dollars and Forty-eight Cents (\$1,854,607.48).

5. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray expenses of Education, Five Hundred and Eighty-three Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars and Forty-three Cents (\$583,553.43).

6. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray expenses of Agriculture, Three Hundred and Eighty-four Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety-one Dollars and Two Cents (\$384,591.02).

7. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray expenses of Hospitals, Charities and Public Health, Eighty-four Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$84,700 00).

8. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray the Miscellaneous Expenditure, One Million One Hundred and Thirty-four Thousand No Hundred and Thirty-nine Dollars and Twenty-seven Cents (\$1,134,039.27).

9. Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1910 the following sum to defray the expenses of Telephones, One Million No Thousand No Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$1,000,000.00).

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said resolutions were then twice read and agreed to.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell:

Resolved, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider the Ways and Means for making good the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into said Committee, and after some time spent therein (in Committee of Ways and Means) Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the following resolution from the Committee of Ways and Means:

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty the following sum be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province for the financial year ending December, 1910, Five Million Nine Hundred and Sixty-five Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-two Dollars and Twenty Cents.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said resolutions were then twice read and agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 68 respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 58 respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That Bill No. 58 respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club be placed on the Order Paper to-day for Third reading.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 58 respecting the Calgary Golf and Country Club,
Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Calgary Golf and Country Club."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 61 respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 12 o'clock, midnight.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock.

Mr. McDougall from the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills have fully considered Bill No. 76, to Confirm a Certain Agreement between the Town of St. Albert and Raymond Brutinel, and beg to report same with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

By consent of the House, Mr. Walker asked the Government the following questions:

1. Has the Canadian Northern Railway Company started to build a line of railway from Vermilion to Bruderheim via Whitford Lake, the bonds of which railway were guaranteed by the Alberta Legislature in the Session of 1909?

A.—No.

2. Q.—If not, when will construction on this line begin?

A.—The matter has been brought to the attention of the Company, and they have been informed that construction must proceed with dispatch.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 62 respecting the Game Act,

Resolved, That the order for the Third reading of Bill No. 62 respecting the Game Act be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 71, respecting Public Health,

Resolved, That the order for the Third reading of Bill No. 71 respecting Public Health be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 79, to Amend the Agricultural Societies Ordinance,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend the Agricultural Societies Ordinance."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 81 respecting Hail Insurance,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Hail Insurance."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 82 respecting Alleged Claims in Connection with the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Alleged Claims in Connection with the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 83, an Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue of Alberta,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the General Revenue of Alberta."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 68 respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 13 respecting Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 45 respecting the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars, Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 61 respecting the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway Company,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Chestermere and Calgary Suburban Railway Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 56 respecting the Mount Royal College,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Mount Royal College."

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 57 respecting the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway Company,

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the High River and Hudson's Bay Railway Company."

Mr. Branley-Moore moved the adjournment of the House, to call attention to the Report of the Royal Commission laid on the Table of the House, respecting certain members of the late Government, and emphasized the finding of the said Commission as to the personal integrity of the members of the late Government.

By leave of the House the motion was withdrawn.

Mr. O'Brien asked the Hon. Mr. Sifton if he would lay the correspondence and telegrams between the local officer of the Miners' Union at Bellevue and the Provincial Mining Inspector, respecting the coal mine disaster at Bellevue, on the table of the House.

The Hon. Mr. Sifton at once laid the papers in question on the table of the House. *(Sessional Papers No. 12.)*

By the indulgence of the House, Messrs. O'Brien, Bennett, Buchanan and Sifton spoke on the subject of the disaster.

Hon. Mr. Sifton moved:

"That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair and that this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to His Majesty."

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair.

(In Committee of Supply.)

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply, and after some time spent therein (in Committee of Supply) Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and announced that it was 6 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 8 P.M.

(Resumed Sitting of Committee of Supply.)

Mr. Boyle reported the following resolutions from Committee of Supply which were read as follows:

1. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray the expenses of Civil Government, Two Hundred and Seventeen Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty Dollars and No Cents (\$217,230.00).

2. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Legislation, Fifty-seven Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety Dollars and No Cents (\$57,990.00).

3. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Administration of Justice, Four Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand One Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$425,100.00).

4. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Public Works, other than Telephone Account, Two Million One Hundred and Twenty-nine Thousand Three Hundred and Thirty-three Dollars and No Cents (\$2,129,333.00).

5. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Education, Six Hundred and Five Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty Dollars and No Cents (\$605,230.00).

6. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Agriculture, Five Hundred and Thirty-six Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty Dollars and No Cents (\$536,680.00).

7. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Hospitals, Charities and Public Health, Ninety-seven Thousand No Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$97,000.00).

8. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray the Miscellaneous expenditure, Five Hundred and Thirty-seven Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars and Eighty Cents (\$537,750.80).

9. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray the expenses of Telephones, One Million One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifteen Dollars and No Cents (\$1,150,715.00).

10. Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1911 the following sum to defray expenses of Prisoners and Insane, One Hundred and Forty-five Thousand No Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$145,000.00).

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said resolutions were then twice read and agreed to.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell:

Resolved, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider the Ways and Means for making good the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into said Committee, and after some time spent therein (in Committee of Ways and Means) Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the following resolution from the Committee of Ways and Means:

Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to His Majesty the following sum be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province for the financial year ending December, 1911, Five Million Nine Hundred and Two Thousand No Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars and Eighty Cents (\$5,902,028.80).

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said resolutions were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That Hon. Mr. Sifton have leave to introduce a Bill for granting to His Majesty certain sums of Money for the Civil Service for the financial year ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1910, and for the financial year ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1911.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, No. 85, to the House and the same was received and read a First time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a Second time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Second time, and referred to Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 62, an Act to amend the Game Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That Bill No. 62, do now pass and be intituled "An Act to Amend the Game Act."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 35 respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress, and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow, Thursday.

The House adjourned at 12 o'clock, midnight.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Buchanan from the Standing Committee on Printing, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Printing beg leave to submit the following report:

The Committee recommend that the King's Printer be instructed to have printed:

2,500 copies of Bill No. 5, an Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance.

500 copies of Bill No. 7, an Act respecting the University of Alberta.

200 copies of Bill No. 10, an Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence.

200 copies of Bill No. 11, an Act to prevent Priority among Execution Creditors.

500 copies of Bill No. 29, an Act respecting Charges upon Land contained in Certain Instruments.

200 copies of Bill No. 46, an Act to amend the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act.

2,500 copies of Bill No. 47, an Act to amend the School Ordinance, the School Assessment Ordinance and the School Grants Ordinance.

2,500 copies of Bill No. 62, an Act to amend the Game Act.

1,000 copies of Bill No. 69, an Act to amend the Noxious Weeds Act.

200 copies of Bill No. 70, an Act to amend Chapter 16 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, as amended by Chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1908.

100 copies of Bill No. 79, an Act to amend the Agricultural Societies Ordinance.

1,300 copies of Bill No. 81, an Act respecting Hail Insurance.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Sifton, Bills No. 16 respecting the Rights of Married Women, No. 32 respecting the Fortnightly Payment of Wages, No. 77 respecting the Coal Mines Act, and No. 80 respecting the Dominion Trust Co., not having been reported on by any Committee, be now referred to Committee of the Whole House.

Ordered, That Bills No. 16, No. 32, No. 77 and No. 80 be placed on the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 55, to amend the Edmonton Charter, be discharged,

Ordered, That Bill No. 55, to amend the Edmonton Charter, be placed on the Order Paper for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 84 respecting the Statute Law,

The Bill was read a Second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 85, for Granting to His Majesty certain sums of Money, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Bill be read a Third time to-day.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act for Granting to His Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Civil Service for the Financial Year ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1910, and for the Financial Year ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1911."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 16, an Act respecting the Rights of Married Women, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and that the Bill be read a Third time to-day.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Rights of Married Women in the Estates of their Deceased Husbands."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 55, an Act to further amend the Edmonton Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to further amend the Edmonton Charter, and to Confirm By-laws of the City of Edmonton."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 35, an Act respecting the Edmonton Interurban Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Edmonton Interurban Railway."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 71, an Act respecting the Public Health, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Public Health."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 75 respecting Chemists and Druggists, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Chemists and Druggists."

Moved by Hon. Mr. Sifton, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell, that when this House rises it stands adjourned to 10.30 a.m. Friday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 76 respecting a certain agreement between the Town of St. Albert and one Raymond Brutinel, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Third time to-day.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Confirm a Certain Agreement between the Town of St. Albert and one Raymond Brutinel."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 77, an Act to amend the Coal Mines Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported that a resolution had been carried, "That I do now leave the chair."

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 32, an Act for the Fortnightly Payment of Wages, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported that a resolution had been carried, "That I do now leave the chair."

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 80 respecting the Dominion Trust Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Simpson reported that a resolution had been carried, "That I do now leave the chair."

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The House adjourned at 6.20 o'clock.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1910.

The Speaker took the chair at 10.30 o'clock.

Hon. Mr. Sifton moved, seconded by Hon. Mr. Mitchell:

"That all documents laid on the table last session in connection with the matter of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, and all documents received by the Clerk of the House from the Royal Commission and which are now in the custody of the Clerk of the House, be transferred by the Clerk of the House to the Department of the Attorney General, to be distributed to the several departments of the Government to which they belong."

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Puffer moved the adjournment of the House.

The motion was withdrawn.

Mr. Gunn moved, seconded by Mr. Lessard:

"That a Memorial be presented to His Excellency the Governor General in Council, setting forth that the half-breeds of the Province of Alberta claim that the Dominion of Canada by granting of half-breed scrip recognized in the half-breeds certain rights arising from their being descendants of the original settlers and pioneers of Rupert's Land and the North-West Territories; that although compensation has been made for such recognized rights to a very large proportion of the half-breed population, compensation still remains to be made to a large minority who for various reasons have failed to obtain the compensation to which they are justly entitled, some of such reasons being:

"(a) The inability of the claimants to appear before the proper officials to make proof of their claims;

"(b) The limitations as to the time within which such claims could be represented;

"(c) The restrictions greater than in respect of earlier issues of scrip imposed by the later Orders in Council or the interpretations placed thereon by the scrip commissioners of the Department of the Interior.

"And it is desirable that all just cause for complaint on account of the half-breed population of the Province of Alberta should be satisfied, and praying to this end that an inquiry be had with the view of ascertaining what are the precise claims put forward by half-breeds of the now Province of Alberta, and to what extent such claims are justly entitled to recognition, and what provisions should be made for satisfying such outstanding claims as may be found justly entitled to recognition."

The motion was unanimously agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 84, an Act to amend the Statute Law, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Mackenzie reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a Third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a Third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to Amend the Statute Law."

The House adjourned at 12.15 until 1.45.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1.45 P.M.

The Speaker took the chair at 1.45 o'clock.

His Honour G. H. V. Bulyea, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta, having entered the House, and being seated on the Throne,

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles to the Bills to be assented to as follows:

1. An Act to Amend Chapter 53 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, being an Act to Incorporate the Alberta North Western Railway Company.

3. An Act respecting the Alberta Pacific Railway Company.

4. An Act to Incorporate the Great North Insurance Company.

5. An Act respecting Truancy and Compulsory School Attendance.

6. An Act to Validate and Confirm a Certain By-law of the Town of Macleod, and Increasing the Powers of the Town of Macleod.

7. An Act respecting the University of Alberta.

10. An Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence.

11. An Act to Prevent Priority among Execution Creditors.

12. An Act to Amend the Lethbridge Charter.

13. An Act to Incorporate Les Pretres du Sacre Coeur de Jesus.

16. An Act respecting the Rights of Married Women in the Estates of their Deceased Husbands.

20. An Act respecting the Raising of Loans Authorized by the Legislature.

25. An Act to Provide for the Registration of a Certain Transfer from the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Company to the City of Lethbridge of the Land known as Galt Park.

26. An Act to Incorporate the Western Canada Fire Insurance Company.

30. An Act to Incorporate the Young Women's Christian Association of Edmonton.

34. An Act to Enable the Directors of the City Hospital to change the Name thereof to "The Royal Alexandra Hospital," and for other purposes.

35. An Act to Incorporate the Edmonton Interurban Railway Company.

40. An Act to Amend the Medicine Hat Charter.

42. An Act to Incorporate the Calgary Young Women's Christian Association.

43. An Act to Amend the Acts and Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary, and to Validate a Certain By-law of the said City.

45. An Act to Incorporate the Apostolic Syndics of the Franciscan Friars.

46. An Act to Amend the Alberta Land Surveyors' Act.

47. An Act to Amend the School Ordinance, the School Assessment Ordinance, and the School Grants Ordinance.

48. An Act respecting the Calgary College.

51. An Act to Incorporate the Peace River Great Western Railway.

52. An Act to Incorporate the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Alberta.

53. An Act respecting the Village of Stafford.

54. An Act respecting the Lethbridge Young Men's Christian Association.

55. An Act to further Amend the Edmonton Charter, and to Confirm By-law No. 261 of the City of Edmonton.

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62. An Act to Amend the Game Act.

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64. An Act respecting the Bonds Guaranteed for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, being an Act to Specify Certain Defaults of the Railway, and the Consequent Rights of the Province.

67. An Act to Incorporate the Alberta Western Railway Company.

68. An Act respecting the Baptist Union of Western Canada.

69. An Act to Amend Chapter 15 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, intituled "The Noxious Weeds Act."

70. An Act to Amend Chapter 16 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, as Amended by Chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1908.

71. An Act respecting Public Health.

72. An Act to Amend an Act to Incorporate the Lacombe, Bullocksville and Alix Electric Railway Company.

73. An Act to Amend an Act to Incorporate the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company.

75. An Act respecting Chemists and Druggists.

76. An Act to Confirm a Certain Agreement between the Town of St. Albert and one Raymond Brutinel.

79. An Act to Amend the Agricultural Societies Ordinance, being Chapter 17 of the Ordinances of 1903 (First Session), Amended by Chapter 5, 1907.

81. An Act respecting Hail Insurance.
82. An Act respecting Alleged Claims in Connection with the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company.
83. An Act for raising Money on the General Revenue of Alberta.
84. An Act to Amend the Statute Law.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, as follows:

"In His Majesty's name His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills."

Mr. Speaker then said:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta in Session assembled approach Your Honour at the close of our labours with sentiments of unfeigned loyalty and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled "An Act for Granting to His Majesty Certain Sums of Money for the Civil Service for the Financial Year ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1910, and for the Financial Year ending the Thirty-first day of December, 1911," thus placing at the disposal of His Majesty the means by which the Government can be made efficient for the service and welfare of the Province of Alberta.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth thank His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill in His Majesty's name."

His Honour was then pleased to deliver the following Speech:

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA:

It affords me much pleasure to be able to congratulate you on the result of your labours in this the Second Session of the Second Legislature of the Province.

I have given my assent to the legislation you have enacted in the full assurance that it has been conceived and carried out in the best interests of the Province as a whole.

You may be assured that the supplies you have voted for the needs of my administration for the years 1910 and 1911 will be used with wise economy. I thank you for your liberality in this regard and, in discharging you from further attendance, would assure you of my good wishes for the health and welfare of you all.

The Hon. Mr. McLean then said:

It is His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be now prorogued, and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

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